

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_2071A  
Takemori TAKAYAMA et al. : **Confirmation No. 4545**  
Serial No. 10/563,437 : Group Art Unit 1793  
Filed January 5, 2006 : Examiner Deborah Yee  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of March 1, 2010.

The fee of \$1,110.00 is  
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Respectfully submitted,

Takemori TAKAYAMA et al.

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